(ग) इस बारे में कोई असंगति सरकार के ध्यान में नहीं आई है ।

(घ) और (ङ) आवास की वर्तमान कमी के कारण 10 से 15 वर्ष की सेवा वाले सभी कर्मचारियों को सामान्यपूल वास उपलब्ध कराना सम्भव नहीं होगा ।

Closure of Industrial Units

1667. SHRI M. A. BABY: Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state:

(a) what is the number of Industrial Units-major, medium and! small-scale—remaining closed as on the 1st January, 1998 and the details thereof;

(b) what is the number of employees affected by thfe closure; and

(c) what are the reasons for closure in each case?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR (SHRI JAGDISH TYTLER); (a) to (c) A statement giving information on number of dlosuresl by reasons and (worker affected during January-December, 1987 based on safeties collected by the Labour Bureau is attached. *(See* below) Informa-*lipn* on closures is not maintained by size of industrial establishments. The Bureau does not also collect information on closures on account of industrial disputes.

Statement

Number of closures and workers affected during January-December 1987-Av *reasons (Provisional)*

	No. of closures	Workers affected
1. Financial Stringgency . .	148	84,125
2. Shortage of Raw material . .	1	20
3. Shortage of power	6	1,395
4. Breakdown of Machinery . .	1	50
5. Lack of Demand	24	689
6. Others . .	43	6,762
7. Cause not known	5	210
TOTAL	228	93,251

SOURCE : Labour Bureau.

Confirmation of work assistants and Firemen in CPWD

1668. SHRI CHATURANAN MJISHRA: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT b_e pleased t_0 state:

(a) what is the total number of permanent posts of Work Assistants and Firemen in the CPWD;

(b) whether it is a fact that elegibility lists for confirmation of Works Assistants wa_s issued last in 1970 and eligibility lits for confirmation of Fireman was issued last in 1974;

(c) whether it is also a fact that many permanent posts of Works Assistants and Firemen are lying vacant for which eligibility lists have not been issued during these years; and

(d) jif so, what are the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI DALBIR SINGH); (a) to (d) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Housing loan limits for Central Government Employees

1669. SHRI ATAL BIHARI VAJPAYEE: Will the Minister of URBAN